

I receive my "local" channels through a satellite provider. According to the FCC, my rural town is supposed to receive its local programming from Richmond, VA. Richmond is 100 miles away from my town. The stations in Richmond do not broadcast emergency warnings for towns as far north as mine. This past summer, there was a tornado warning for my county, but I had no idea because the Richmond stations did not show it. In order for the Emergency Broadcast System to work, satellite customers need to be able to choose which stations they receive.